

Senate Transportation Committee Amendment No. 1

Amendment No. 1 to SB0139

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 139

House Bill No. 239*

by deleting all the language after the effective date section and by substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 54-7-105, is amended by adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated subsection:

(e) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) or any other law to the contrary, in all counties having a population of not less than ninety thousand (90,000) nor more than one hundred seven thousand (107,000) according to the 2000 United States census or any subsequent federal census, if the chief administrative officer of the county highway department is selected by any means other than an election of the qualified voters of the county, then such officer shall serve a term of one (1) year commencing on September 1, following his or her appointment. The provisions of this subsection shall apply only to chief administrative officers appointed on or after the effective date of this section and, therefore, shall not have the effect of removing from office or abridging the current term of any appointed incumbent.

SECTION 2. If any provision of this act or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to that end the provisions of this act are declared to be severable.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.